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Town	1908—	1907—
Brainerd	Tem. 14	Con. Clear
Walker	14	15
Bemidji	14	15
Blackduck	14	5
Kelliphorne	14	12
Northome	10	11
Big Falls	10	10
Int'l Falls	10	Clear

Organized Labor in Politics

Organized labor in Minnesota is to take a hand in politics. After a policy of non-interference, which has been in effect for years, a state central political committee is to be appointed at a meeting of state federation officers in St. Paul next Sunday. George B. Howley, president of the State Federation of labor, is the originator of the movement, and it was at his request that the meeting is to be held. Mr. Howley says, however, that this movement is not intended as a step in the organization of a national labor party, says the Duluth News Tribune. The state central political committee to be appointed will have as its duties the work of lining up state labor in the interests of candidates believed by the labor heads to be friendly to union men's interests. The executive council which is to meet at St. Paul Sunday is composed of Mr. Howley, Secretary W. E. McEwen and the eight vice presidents of the state federation.

CROOKSTON and Little Falls are both to have new, modern opera houses, something that every city of any pretensions should be able to boast of.

ANOKA county is going to give the split-log drag for road making a thorough trial and has ordered one for every township in the county.

FOR the sum of \$15,000 a year Evelyn Thaw has agreed not to see her husband again unless in the presence of his relatives.

SATURDAY is the last day you can pay personal property taxes without the penalty attaching.

THE "first robin" has been seen, this year at St. Cloud. The Times will have to show us.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures the most obstinate coughs and expels the cold from the system as it is mildly laxative. It is guaranteed. The genuine is in the yellow package. H. P. Dunn, mwfdw

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We feel thankful to our customers for they have made us the leading Bicycle Business in the city. If at any time this year you intend to purchase a bicycle or have any repairs done, we ask you kindly to give us a chance to show you what we can do. Any one doing business with us will always be welcome to make complaint if anything is wrong on our part.

We advise our customers to bring in their repairs now.

If there are any past customers who are not satisfied with us, we ask them to please call and make complaints and we will do what is right. This year we are better prepared than ever for bicycle trade, so call and see us and profit by the meeting.

E. J. ROHNE, Bicycles

Prof. Colgrove, of the St. Cloud normal, who will conduct the summer school in this city this year, was in Brainerd today on his way to Carleton to address a teacher's meeting.

Deputy Marshall Rider, who was in the city last night and this forenoon for the first time since his recent illness, is looking somewhat peaked yet but is rapidly regaining his health.

John Hurley returned from Bemidji today somewhat crippled up. He fell from an engine on the way north on an extra Wednesday evening and was compelled to lay off and return home deadhead.

Follow the crowds and go to Koop's dry goods store. Best bargains in town all this week. 22573

Albert LaLonde, manager of the Ransford billiard parlor, returned last night from Eau Claire, Wis., where he was called over a week ago by the illness of his father. He left him much better.

Hurry Van Sickle and daughter, Annie, went to Little Falls today to attend the hearing of Walhapter and Brooks before the United States commissioner. County Attorney Warner went down also.

Mrs. W. F. Fiddler and son, Ellis, of Butte, Mont., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brown. The ladies are sisters. Mr. and Mrs. Brown went to Staples last night to meet them and returned with them this morning.

Eugene Smith, the Seal of Minnesota man, is in the city today on business.

I. E. Chaffee, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, was in Brainerd last night on business. Dr. Thabes and son John went to Morris today to be absent several days.

Mrs. R. R. Wise entertained the bridge club at the Hotel Ransford this afternoon.

C. M. Thurin, of St. Paul, a railway supply agent from St. Paul, was in the city today.

Gulford Mantor returned last night from the west where he has been for several months.

The Redmen acted on 159 applications for membership at their regular meeting last night.

Jacob Schmidt's bottle beer is delicious. We have the agency. Order a case. Telephone 164 John Coates Liquor Co.

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The largest stock yards on the line of the Northern Pacific will be built by the company at Staples, says the Wadena Pioneer. The new stock yards will be built in the spring adjoining the Staples railway yards west of the town. Stock being shipped from the west to St. Paul and Chicago must be fed before reaching the terminals and Staples will become a great feeding point. Excellent facilities for loading and unloading will be provided and the yards will not only be very large but modern and up-to-date in every way.

Occident

Ladies' Musical Club

The next regular meeting of the musical club will be held in Elk's hall this coming Saturday afternoon (Feb. 29th) at 3 p. m. The executive board will meet at 2:15 p. m. All members are requested to be present. The afternoon will be devoted to "Children's Day."

MRS. ROOSEVELT'S BOUQUET

After a Reception President's Wife Gives It to Some Young Girl.

Natural flowers as adjuncts to women's costumes seem to have passed away except at the official levees in Washington. Mrs. Roosevelt invariably carries a cluster of flowers, which she uses as a graceful foil against the multitudes which seek to grasp her hand during the long official receptions. She has adopted the pleasant habit of presenting a bouquet to the wives of the cabinet members who assist her, and she always asks the color and variety of each gown before ordering the bouquets.

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WEATHER FORECAST

Partly cloudy and threatening to
night and Saturday; colder northwest
portion night.

The following are the weather conditions at 7 a.m. today and this date last year at various points on the Minnesota & International railroad as shown by the record at the general offices of that road:

Town	—1908—	—1907—
Brainerd	Tem. 16 Clear	Tem. 14 Calm
Walker	14 ..	15 ..
Bemidji	14 ..	15 ..
Blissfield	14 ..	5 Clear Calm
Kellher	14 ..	12 ..
Northome	10 ..	11 Calm ..
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Organized Labor in Politics

Organized labor in Minnesota is to take a hand in politics. After a policy of non-interference, which has been in effect for years, a state central political committee is to be appointed at a meeting of state federation officers in St. Paul next Sunday. George B. Howley, president of the State Federation of labor, is the originator of the movement, and it was at his request that the meeting is to be held. Mr. Howley says, however, that this movement is not intended as a step in the organization of a national labor party, says the Duluth News Tribune. The state central political committee to be appointed will have as its duties the work of lining up state labor in the interests of candidates believed by the labor heads to be friendly to union men's interests. The executive council which is to meet at St. Paul Sunday is composed of Mr. Howley, Secretary W. E. McEwen and the eight vice presidents of the state federation.

CROOKSTON and Little Falls are both to have new, modern opera houses, something that every city of any pretensions should be able to boast of.

ANOKA county is going to give the split-log drag for road making a thorough trial and has ordered one for every township in the county.

FOR the sum of \$15,000 a year Evelyn Thaw has agreed not to see her husband again unless in the presence of his relatives.

SATURDAY is the last day you can pay personal property taxes without the penalty attaching.

THE "first robin" has been seen, this year at St. Cloud. The Times will have to show us.

Foley's Honey and Tarcures the most obstinate coughs and expels the cold from the system as it is mildly laxative. It is guaranteed. The genuine is in the yellow package. H. P. Dunn, mwfdw

Prof. Colgrove, of the St. Cloud normal, who will conduct the summer school in this city this year, was in Brainerd today on his way to Carleton to address a teacher's meeting.

Deputy Marshall Rider, who was in the city last night and this forenoon for the first time since his recent illness, is looking somewhat peaked yet but is rapidly regaining his health.

John Hurley returned from Bemidji today somewhat crippled up. He fell from an engine on the way north on an extra Wednesday evening and was compelled to lay off and return home deadhead.

Follow the crowds and go to Koop's dry goods store. Best bargains in town all this week.

Albert LaLonde, manager of the Ransford billiard parlor, returned last night from Eau Claire, Wis., where he was called over a week ago by the illness of his father. He left him much better.

Harry Van Sickle and daughter, Annie, went to Little Falls today to attend the hearing of Walhapter and Brooks before the United States commissioner. County Attorney Warner went down also.

Mrs. W. F. Fiddler and son, Ellis, of Butte, Mont., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brown. The ladies are sisters. Mr. and Mrs. Brown went to Staples last night to meet them and returned with them this morning.

Alf Lawrence, of Pequot, was a Brainerd visitor today on business. Eugene Smith, the Seal of Minnesota man, is in the city today on business. I. E. Chaffee, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, was in Brainerd last night on business.

Dr. Thabes and son John went to Morris today to be absent several days.

Big bargains at L. M. Koop's busy store. Sale closes Saturday.

Mrs. R. R. Wise entertained the bridge club at the Hotel Ransford this afternoon.

C. M. Thurin, of St. Paul, a railway supply agent from St. Paul, was in the city today.

Guilford Mantor returned last night from the west where he has been for several months.

The Redmen acted on 159 applications for membership at their regular meeting last night.

Mrs. Kidd, of Farm Island Lake, was in Brainerd today on her way home from the twin cities.

Rev. Chas. Fox Davis returned last night from Royalton, where he preached for Rev. Dr. Copper.

Joseph Harrison, of Neutral, returned home today from a visit to his former home in Iowa.

Big sale on ladies' and children's fine shoes all this week at L. M. Koop's, the home of the best.

W. H. McCourt and Henry Berquist, of St. Croix Falls, Wis., were in the city last night on business.

Fred J. Slipp returned last night from St. Paul, where he had been attending the state hardware men's convention.

Mrs. Geo. L. Ley returned to her home in St. Paul today after a visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ellen Carney.

Wm. Austin, of Ossipee, died Wednesday night and will be buried there, parties having come down Thursday for a coffin.

Miss Hannah Hanson, residing near Cedar Lake, returned today from Hellensburg, where she has been teaching school.

Even inexperienced cooks have "good luck" with Hunt's Perfect Baking Powder and Extracts. They never disappoint.

J. C. Smallwood, formerly of this city, but now a thriving merchant in Minot, N. D., arrived in the city today noon and is greeting old friends.

Try our California wines and brandies. John Coates Liquor Co., Phone 164, Goods delivered.

J. L. Smith went to his home in Minneapolis today after a two weeks' tour up north looking after timber thieves. He says he caught some of them.

Homestead 1601, B. A. Y., held a very enjoyable patch social in Odd Fellows hall last night, there being a good sized crowd present. Light refreshments were served.

Ladies' summer suits and skirts at cost all this week at the busy store, L. M. Koop's 614 Front street.

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We advise our customers to bring in their repairs now.

If there are any past customers who are not satisfied with us, we ask them to please call and make complaints and we will do what is right. This year we are better prepared than ever for bicycle trade, so call and see us and profit by the meeting.

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Employ of Rogers-Brown Ore Company Meets Death at Rabbitt Lake Shaft

HE DIED ALMOST INSTANTLY

Lived at Cedar Lake and Leaves Large Family in Straightened Circumstances

The first fatality in the Cuyuna range mining operations occurred today when Wm. Lieck, of Cedar Lake, lost his life at the Rogers-Brown Ore Company's shaft at Rabbitt Lake. Lieck, with some other workmen, was moving dirt from the dump and they had undermined a portion of the pile, the top of which was frozen. The overhanging mass suddenly gave way, a large chunk of the frozen dirt or rock striking him on the side of the head crushing his head and jaw. He died before they could get him to the camp.

Word was at once brought to Deerwood and Coroner Gibson was summoned. He went to Deerwood on the afternoon train and drove to Rabbit Lake.

Mr. Lieck, who lives at Cedar Lake, a point about midway between Deerwood and Aitkin, leaves a wife and seven or eight children, it is said they are reported to be in straightened circumstances.

TO PUT ON VAUDEVILLE

Fine Stage Being Erected in the Bijou Theatre -- Passion Play to be Presented Next Week

Manager Low, of the Bijou theatre is making extensive alterations and improvements in that popular little play house. In addition to the changes noted a few days ago, by which the audience room is being enlarged and the operating room moved, a fine stage is being put in. The stage is 22 by 15 feet and will be well lighted and dressing rooms will be put in. The theatre will be in the Northwestern vaudeville circuit and will put on the best talent to be had. There will be changes of bills nightly and changes of people twice a week, which is twice as often as in almost any city in the country. The first vaudeville performance will, it is expected, be put on March 9th.

On Monday next the Passion Play will be put on at the Bijou. Mr. Low states that he has had so many requests for it from his patrons that he has decided to present it on an elaborate scale. There will be a fine organ used to furnish sacred music suitable to the play. A fine concealed choir will also participate in the presentation of the play.

Mr. Low states that the impression, which has gained ground in some quarters, that the erection of the stage will close the rear exit, is erroneous. The exit will be readily accessible at all times. The operating box has been entirely lined with asbestos and will be absolutely fireproof and the theatre will be one of the safest in the state.

The editor of the Memphis, Tenn., "Times" writes: "In my opinion Foley's Honey and Tar is the best remedy for coughs, colds and lung trouble, and to my own personal knowledge Foley's Honey and Tar has accomplished many permanent cures that have been little short of marvelous." Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. H. P. Dunn. mwfwdw

CELEBRATE THEIR ANNIVERSARIES

Iola Council, Degree of Pocahontas, Celebrated First Anniversary Friday Night

NORTH STARS TOMORROW NIGHT

This Society Will Celebrate Its Twenty-Fourth Year of Brainerd Existence

Iola Council, Degree of Pocahontas was organized on the evening of February 28, just one year ago tonight. They celebrated the event last evening, it being impossible to secure Columbian hall for tonight. The Red Men held their regular session early, giving way to the ladies at 9 o'clock. Progressive pedro held sway for a time and then the floors were cleared for dancing. An appetizing lunch was served about 11 o'clock and the dancing and card playing continued until the wee small hours of the morning. Iola Council has made a fine record during the year of its existence and has \$100 out at interest and over \$200 in the treasury, besides having made a strong growth numerically.

On Saturday evening, February 29, the North Star Society will celebrate its 24th anniversary in Columbian hall. This society is composed entirely of Scandinavian-Americans and is one of strongest fraternal organizations in the city. Elaborate arrangements are being made under the energetic management of a committee consisting of F. M. Hagberg, B. L. Lagerquist and A. J. Ellisson, for a swell social time. The following program will be presented:

Vocal Solo..... Gothfred Swanson
Duet—Piano and Violin..... Miss Margaret Falkenrich, Albert Rasmussen
Recitation..... Alice Halquist
Address, sketch of history of lodge—Mons Mahlum
Piano Solo..... Jennie Mysen
Vocal Solo..... John Bye

Cards and dancing will fill up the rest of the evening and light refreshments are to be served. The party is for the members of the lodge, their ladies and families and for the members of the class which is to be initiated next Tuesday. The lodge has a class of 25 for that date.

Notice

On and after March 1st, 1908, the price of hair cut will be 35 cents. By order of the Barber's Union. C. O. SUNDBERG, 209-215-221-227 Sec.

ED. CRUST PRESIDENT

Elected by Board of Directors of Commercial Club for the En-suing Year

The board of directors of the Commercial Club met Wednesday evening and elected Ed. Crust president, vice W. H. Cleary, who for personal reasons declined to serve. H. F. Michael was elected vice president to succeed Mr. Crust.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

"Bijou"

The public turned out and packed the house last night and a splendid program was given which will be repeated on Friday and Saturday night and Saturday matinee. The illustrated song, "When I Die Let Me Sleep in the Deep," sung by Carman Mahlum was well received. The headliner in animated pictures, "The Incendiary Foreman," a film 1,100 feet long, was a picture not soon to be forgotten and made a decided hit.

CURRENCY LEGISLATION.

The Chief Topic of Discussion in the Senate.

Washington, Feb. 26.—Currency legislation was the chief topic before the senate. For nearly three hours Senator Robert L. Owen of Oklahoma spoke on the Aldrich bill, claiming that he had, through Senator Jones of Arkansas in 1900, proposed legislation somewhat similar to the bill under consideration, but with the essential differences which he declared would have prevented the recent panic had it been enacted into law.

Mr. Owen received close attention from senators and was frequently interrupted with questions, which led to spirited debate.

The Indian appropriation bill received the consideration of the senate during a part of the day. The bill was read through.

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Good Sized Purse Raised in Blackduck for Benefit of M. V. Owens
Who was Burned Out

W. C. Moss, of Minneapolis, was in the city Thursday on his way home from Blackduck, where he had been looking after his cedar interests. Mr. Moss was in Blackduck Wednesday and saw M. V. Owens, whose store was burned Monday night and whose child and brother-in-law and servant girl were burned to death. Mr. Owens is still in bed as the result of his burns and it will probably be two or three months before he is able to use his hands. His books and records were all destroyed and he has no means of enforcing the collection of one of his accounts he has outstanding. The citizens of Blackduck raised over \$500 and presented it to him Wednesday.

Remember Ladies'

Remember Ladies. The best sale in town still continues all this week. Sales closes Saturday, Feb. 29. Buy now for months to come. The leading reliable dry goods store, L. M. Koop, 614 Front street. 225t3

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The Brainerd Arena office and the Bane block had a narrow escape from flames Thursday evening. Mr. Kent had completed the work of running off the edition for the week and had them all directed and ready for the post office before leaving the office, about 9:20 in the evening. About 10 o'clock Mrs. F. E. Kenney, wife of the editor of the Arena, who has rooms in the Bane block, in which the office is located, smelled smoke. Investigation showed that it was coming from the Arena office and she gave the alarm at the rink the skating on the first floor of the building. Mr. Bane and Mr. Arvig rushed up stairs and the latter went through the transom and entered the room, throwing the door open. The gentlemen at once began with pails of water to quench the flames. Meanwhile the fire department had been informed and they were soon on hand with their chemical extinguishers and made short work of the blaze. When it was over it was found that the press and folder were temporarily out of commission and the entire issue of the paper had been destroyed. A valuable box of silverware and glass ware which Mr. Kent had purchased to send to relatives in Sleepy Eye and had not yet sent was destroyed and considerable other damage was done.

Mr. Kent brought the forms of the Arena, which luckily had escaped damage, to THE DISPATCH office and with the assistance of a portion of THE DISPATCH force printed a four page edition and had it ready for the mails this morning as usual.

Mr. Kent has as yet given out no estimate of his loss, which is fully covered with insurance. He has the sympathy of the fraternity in his misfortune.

Coats! Coats!! Coats!!!

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Former Priest Sent to Prison.

New York, Feb. 28.—A minimum sentence of two years and two months in state prison was meted out to Levent Martoogesian, the Armenian, former priest and treasurer of the local branch of the Hunchakist society, convicted of extortion. Martoogesian was accused by several countrymen. They allege that death was threatened as the alternative of contributing to the society.

Simple Remedy for Lagriple

La gripe coughs are dangerous as they frequently develop into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. H. P. Dunn. mwfwdw

Killed at a Dance.

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WAS SET BY W. W. LATTA
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The H. F. Michael company has received the following letter from the Curtis Publishing company:

Circulation Bureau,
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The Ladies Home Journal
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Brainerd, Minn.,

DEAR SIR:

We congratulate you on having been successful in our January advertising contest. The advertisement submitted by you has been adjudged worthy of a prize of ten dollars and check for this amount will be sent you by our treasurer in a very few days.

We sincerely trust that we may have the pleasure of sending you yet other checks for similar efforts in the future.

With all good wishes, we are,

Very truly yours,

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TO UNCLE SAM
Walhapter and Brooks Were Turned Over to Deputy U. S. Marshall
H. A. Rider This Forenoon

The charge of forgery placed against Fred Walhapter and Ed. Brooks was dismissed by County Attorney Warner this morning and the prisoners were turned over to Deputy United States Marshall Rider, of Little Falls, who came up last night. He took them to Little Falls today to answer to the charge of counterfeiting before the U. S. commissioner at that place.

Chronic Constipation Cured

One who suffers from chronic constipation is in danger of many serious ailments. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup cures chronic constipation as it aids digestion and stimulates the liver and bowels, restoring the natural action of these organs. Commence taking it today and you will feel better at once. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or gripe and is very pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. H. P. Dunn. mwfwdw

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Mr. and Mrs. Romeyn Mudge
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LIVED HERE FOR 20 YEARS
Aged Couple Were Married in Courtland County, New York,
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Three score years of wedded life is a long time and there are few couples which attain that distinction. There is such a couple, however, residing in Brainerd. They are Mr. and Mrs. Romeyn Mudge, who make their home with their son Charles Mudge, 1012 Sixth Avenue, Northeast.

Romeyn Mudge and Charlotte Smith were united in the bonds of holy matrimony in Courtland county, New York, on February 27, 1848, just sixty years ago Thursday. To them two children were born, both of whom are still living. They are Mrs. Alvah Eastman, of Cross Lake, and for years a resident of Brainerd, and Charles Mudge, who is a machinist in the Northern Pacific shops. They have five grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Mudge, Sr., came to Brainerd about 20 years ago and have been residents of this city continuously since. Mr. Mudge was for many years an employee at the Northern Pacific depot in this city.

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RAILWAY POSITIONS

GUARANTEED.—We want 200 able-bodied young men to take a short course of instruction in Telegraphy and Railroading at our school and for whom we will secure positions at telegraph operators and agents as soon as course is completed. Easy to learn. Good salary. Write for free Catalog. THOMPSON'S RAILWAY COLLEGE, Minneapolis, Minn.

There's no Time

like the evening for reading the newspaper—the day's work is done—the mind is at rest and in receptive mood with plenty of time to read the paper from top to bottom—therefore this is the opportune time for the advertiser. Approaching men when in the best humor has sold many a bill of goods. It is an art of discrimination to which clever men owe success and is referred to by others as luck.

Another good thing to remember, too, is that the Brainerd Dispatch is very reasonable in its advertising rates; its circulation a valuable one that reaches thousands of readers that nothing else will. Why not try it.

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Bijou

F. E. LOW, MANAGER.

TO-NIGHT

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(1100 feet in length)

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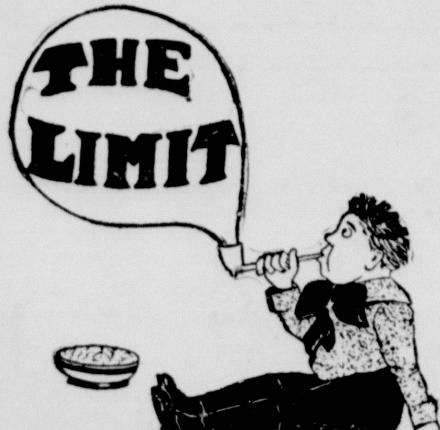
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"On that day the bank did then and there demand of Thomas, MacLay & Co. payment of said loans and Thomas, MacLay & Co. did not have on that day \$100,000 with which to pay the said loan, whereupon it became necessary for Thomas, MacLay & Co. either to borrow \$100,000 with which to pay the loan, or then and there suspend business."

After the Hamilton bank had demanded the payment of this particular loan the Provident Savings Life Assurance society loaned \$100,000 to the Italian-American Trust company, on the same day. Thomas was a director of the insurance company and the indictment says was unlawfully peculiarly interested as beneficiary in the loan made by the Provident Life, because Thomas knew that the failure of Thomas, MacLay & Co. would mean a decline in the prices of the securities put up by the firm as collateral on the loans. It was agreed that the loan made by the Provident Life to the Italian-American Trust company should be turned over to Thomas, MacLay & Co., which was done and the loans of the Hamilton bank paid.

The other indictments are based on transactions of a similar nature.

PROMOTER FOUND GUILTY

St. Paul Man Convicted on Charge of Grand Larceny.

St. Paul, Feb. 28.—Guilty of grand larceny in the first degree, as charged in the indictment, was the verdict returned by the jury in the case of S. A. Phillips, promoter, and formerly Northwestern manager and agent for the Hancock company, which had charge of floating the capital stock of the Chicago-New York Air Line Railway company.

Assistant County Attorney Ryan moved for immediate sentence and James Schoonmaker, counsel for the defendant, asked for a stay, pending the argument of a motion for a new trial. Judge Bunn continued the matter for a day.

The penalty provided for grand larceny in the first degree is imprisonment in state prison for not less than one year nor more than ten years.

The specific charge was that Phillips embezzled \$2,600 of the Hancock company's funds while acting as its representative in Minnesota, North and South Dakota.

FOR MASTOIDITIS.

Operation Performed Upon Thomas A. Edison.

New York, Feb. 28.—Thomas A. Edison was operated upon for mastoiditis at the Manhattan Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital, where he has been a patient since Sunday, when an abscess which had formed in the middle ear was opened. Dr. Arthur B. Duer, who performed the operation, later stated that the condition of the inventor was favorable and led to the expectation of an early recovery.

Diameter of a Fine Wire.

Should you ever find it necessary to obtain the diameter of a fine wire, it may be done in this manner: Wind it carefully around a piece of pencil in one layer for an inch or so, that each turn is touching the previous one. Then measure exactly an inch along the wire and count the number of turns in the inch. You then have the information. Thus, if there are eighteen turns the wire is one-eighteenths of an inch in diameter.

MONK WAS A MURDERER.

Assaulted and Murdered a Score of Females.

Verkhoturye, Russia, Feb. 28.—The circuit court of this town meted out partial justice to a monk named Feodotoff, whose criminal and iniquitous life was revealed last fall, by sending him to penal servitude for fifteen years.

Feodotoff came to Verkhoturye about two years ago and set up a shrine in a neighboring forest, where he lived as a hermit. He soon attained a great reputation for marvelous cures and his little chapel in the solitude of the woods became the object for pilgrimages from all parts of the province of Perm. The monk enjoyed a great reputation for sanctity, but when the revelations came it was learned that his holy ways and words were nothing but a cloak for robbery, murder and debauchery of every kind. The reported disappearance of female pilgrims who visited the monk's chapel finally attracted the attention of the authorities and investigation disclosed the bodies of no less than twenty victims whom Feodotoff had assaulted and murdered and then buried in the cellar of his house. The charge that he had stolen sacramental vessels from the monasteries was established against the hermit.

STRIKE-BREAKERS ROUTED.

Beaten in Pitched Battle With Union Men.

Florence, Colo., Feb. 28.—A pitched battle between twenty-five structural ironworkers employed by the United States Portland cement works and as many men who attempted to take their places occurred following a walkout of the union men. Bricks, clubs and fists filled the air, and the fight waged fiercely for several minutes until the strike-breakers finally took flight over the hills.

Rioters Sent to Prison.

Philadelphia, Feb. 28.—Dominick Donelli, Joseph Troi, Michael Costello and Frances C. Pisicchio, who were arrested as the leaders of the unemployed foreigners who rioted while parading on Broad street on Feb. 20, were convicted in court here on charges of inciting to riot and assault and battery with intent to kill. Donelli was sentenced to five years in the Eastern penitentiary, Troi to two years, Costello to eighteen months and Pisicchio to one year.

Physicians Treat Admiral Evans.

Lima, Feb. 28.—Two Peruvian physicians, Doctors Larrid and Rospigliosi, paid a professional visit to Rear Admiral Evans on board the flagship Connecticut, and after a consultation declared that Admiral Evans was suffering from rheumatism, but that his condition was not serious. A course of treatment was begun.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The street pageants of Mardi Gras carnival have begun in New Orleans.

The National league season will open April 14 and will close on Oct. 7. Each club will play 154 games.

The Kentucky house has passed, by a vote of 78 to 14 and without debate, a prohibition bill with the county as the unit.

Paul E. Fossbaken, one of the Bonanza farmers of Northern Minnesota, was burned to death in his large barn near Fosston.

The seventh annual convention of the department of superintendents of the National Educational association, held in Washington, has closed.

John T. Rogers, for several years closely associated with the grain and lumber business of Minneapolis, died suddenly at his home in that city.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, Feb. 27.—Wheat—May, \$1.07 1/4; July, \$1.06 3/4. On track—No. 1 hard, \$1.12 1/2; No. 1 Northern, \$1.09 1/4; No. 2 Northern, \$1.07 1/2; No. 3 Northern, \$1.03 1/2.

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St. Paul, Feb. 27.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, \$4.75 @ \$6.50; fair to good, \$4.00 @ \$4.75; good to choice cows and heifers, \$3.25 @ \$4.25; veals, \$3.75 @ \$5.25. Hogs—\$4.00 @ \$4.20. Sheep—Wethers, \$4.75 @ \$5.15; good to choice lambs, \$6.25 @ \$6.40.

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Chicago Grain and Provisions.

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Huge Silver Tray.

A gigantic tray of solid silver has

recently been made by a firm in London for an oriental potentate.

The tray is seven feet in diameter and is said to be the largest ever executed.

It was in the hands of the workmen for over a year.

Under a New Name.

"American butter" is the name given in Syria to oleomargarine.

LOOKING AFTER TARS

How Seamen's Society Watches Over Uncle Sam's Sailors.

REACHES TO FAR CAPE HORN

Not a Man Lost Through Shore Leave by Battleship Fleet in Its Long Cruise Around South America—Many Letters Sent Home From Society's Coast Stations.

That the 15,000 sailors of the United States battleship fleet were slipping along the far coast of South America, hale and hearty, with ever an eye to old home folks, was reported in New York city the other day.

From their five branch stations along the route about the Horn the workers of the American Seamen's Friend society are sending to headquarters the news of the eventful days of shore leave in which Uncle Sam's sailors swarmed ashore to their quarters for sight of a good American face and the rare chance of a quiet smoke, a talk and a long letter to the folks at home. Stamps, souvenir postals, reading material from home and stacks of letter paper are exhausted at these branches, the society's officers declare, and thousands of carefully scrawled missives have left their writing rooms for homes in every part of the United States.

At Rio de Janeiro, Montevideo, Buenos Aires and Rosario, where headquarters for sailors have been maintained for years by this organization, the navy tars have been welcomed, entertained and piloted pretty clear of the shoals that lie particularly foul of the course of the sailor in foreign ports. Human life, vice and bad liquor are valued cheaply in some of these South American towns, and it goes hard and often fatally with the seafaring man if he gets into the hands of the natives. Not even his navy uniform has saved many a Jacky from bodily harm in remote quarters of such cities, and today the workers of the society throughout the lower continent feel relieved and gratified that the fleet has finally stood off toward its own shores once more with all the tars aboard and alive.

From Rio de Janeiro a report recently reached New York telling of the advent of the Yankee sailors there. With other local organizations the American Seamen's Friend society's branch at New York organized a constant entertainment for the men of the fleet. An information bureau was equipped, to which the sailors went on their arrival to have their money honestly changed and embark on excursions conducted about the place for their benefit. Every square foot of the rooms of this station of the society was packed each hour of the stay of the battleships by the American crews, smoking, yarning or reading and writing home letters. Before the squadron weighed anchor a large meeting of the men was arranged by the society's workers.

On the river Plata the society had three stations ready for Admiral Evans' men. Here everything was thrown open to the visiting sailors and their path kept as straight as possible. The bloody violence of the crime of Rosario and this entire region has fallen on many a defenseless seaman in the past, and after seven years of hard effort the workers of these branches have only just succeeded in becoming a buffer between them and the visiting sailors. That the American Jackies left Buenos Aires in good order is recognized as a welcome result of the long campaign. To the friendly offices of this as well as the other branches of the American Seamen's Friend society the navy tars had been commended long before they sailed by old friends in the active branches of the organization at the Brooklyn navy yard and Newport News.

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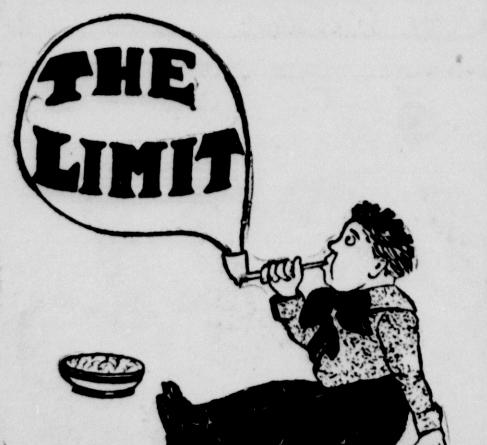
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This indictment deals with a loan made by Thomas from the firm of Thomas, MacLay & Co., stock brokers, on April 2, 1907. Thomas was a customer of the firm and indebted on demand loans in large sums. At the same time the indictment alleges, Thomas, MacLay & Co. were indebted to other financial institutions, the loans being secured with stock and other securities of Thomas, MacLay & Co., and of their customers.

On the same day, April 2, 1907, Thomas, MacLay & Co. was indebted to the Hamilton bank for a loan payable on demand for \$100,000, made by the bank to the company, secured by securities similar to those put up for the other loans. The indictment says:

"On that day the bank did then and there demand of Thomas, MacLay & Co. payment of said loans and Thomas, MacLay & Co. did not have on that day \$100,000 with which to pay the said loan, whereupon it became necessary for Thomas, MacLay & Co. either to borrow \$100,000 with which to pay the loan, or then and there suspend business."

The resolution endorsing Taft was not adopted without opposition, but a poll of the committee showed thirty-two for Taft, one for Hughes, one for La Follette and one for Roosevelt.

The committee adopted the plan of apportionment suggested by James Larson of Walaut Grove, which gives a convention of 1,188 delegates. The representation is based on the average vote in 1906 for state officers and allows one delegate for each 200 votes plus five at-large for each county.

BOLD ATTEMPT AT ROBBERY

Two Men Wounded and Thief is Captured.

Cincinnati, Feb. 28.—Mose Kahn, a clothier, was slightly injured, James Jones of Covington, Ky., was mortally wounded and Frank Yarbarrow is under arrest as the result of a bold attempt to rob Kahn. Yarbarrow assaulted Kahn in his store at Seventh and Vine streets, but Kahn fired on him and gave chase. Two patrolmen and nearly 1,000 pedestrians joined in the chase and the man was captured, but not before Jones, a boss carpenter near whom Yarbarrow ran, was hit in the back by a glancing bullet from Patrolman Harold's revolver.

Yarbarrow told the police he was hungry and wanted to steal a suit of clothes to pawn.

An Indignant Artist.

The sensational offers said to have been made by theatrical managers to the principal actor in a recent murder trial must have made professional stars feel very much as did the painter Haydon in 1846 when two of his finest pictures were being shown at the Egyptian hall, and the public thronged into another room where General Tom Thumb was on view. "They rush by thousands to see Tom Thumb," wrote the disappointed painter in his diary.

"Their eyes are open, but their sense is shut. It is an insanity, a rabies, a madness, a furor, a dream!" Another entry later on runs: "Tom Thumb had 12,000 people last week, R. R. Haydon 133½ (the half a little girl). Exquisite taste of the English people!" We do not seem to have progressed much since then.—London Chronicle.

FOR MASTOIDITIS.

Operation Performed Upon Thomas A. Edison.

New York, Feb. 28.—Thomas A. Edison was operated upon for mastoiditis at the Manhattan eye, ear and throat hospital, where he has been a patient since Sunday, when an abscess which had formed in the middle ear was opened. Dr. Arthur B. Duerl, who performed the operation, later stated that the condition of the inventor was favorable and led to the expectation of an early recovery.

Diameter of a Fine Wire.

Should you ever find it necessary to obtain the diameter of a fine wire, it may be done in this manner: Wind it carefully around a piece of pencil in one layer for an inch or so, that each turn is touching the previous one. Then measure exactly an inch along the wire and count the number of turns in the inch. You then have the information. Thus, if there are eighteen turns the wire is one-eighteenth of an inch in diameter.

MONK WAS A MURDERER.

Assaulted and Murdered a Score of Females.

Verkhoturye, Russia, Feb. 28.—The circuit court of this town meted out partial justice to a monk named Feodotoff, whose criminal and iniquitous life was revealed last fall, by senonishing him to penal servitude for fifteen years.

Feodotoff came to Verkhoturye about two years ago and set up a shrine in a neighboring forest, where he lived as a hermit. He soon attained a great reputation for marvelous cures and his little chapel in the solitude of the woods became the object for pilgrimages from all parts of the province of Perm. The monk enjoyed a great reputation for sanctity, but when the revelations came it was learned that his holy ways and words were nothing but a sleek for robbery, murder and debauchery of every kind. The repeated disappearance of female pilgrims who visited the monk's chapel finally attracted the attention of the authorities and investigation disclosed the bodies of no less than twenty victims whom Feodotoff had assaulted and murdered and then buried in the cellar of his house. The charge that he had stolen sacramental vessels from the monasteries was established against the hermit.

STRIKE-BREAKERS ROUTED.

Boatmen in Pitched Battle With Union Men.

Florence, Colo., Feb. 28.—A pitched battle between twenty-five structural ironworkers employed by the United States Portland cement works and as many men who attempted to take their places occurred following a walkout of the union men. Bricks, clubs and fists filled the air, and the fight waged fiercely for several minutes until the strike-breakers finally took flight over the hills.

Rioters Sent to Prison.

Philadelphia, Feb. 28.—Dominick Donelli, Joseph Troi, Michael Costello and Frances C. Pissicchio, who were arrested as the leaders of the unemployed foreigners who rioted while parading on Broad street on Feb. 20, were convicted in court here on charges of inciting to riot and assault and battery with intent to kill. Donelli was sentenced to five years in the Eastern penitentiary. Troi to two years, Costello to eighteen months and Pissicchio to one year.

Physicians Treat Admiral Evans.

Lima, Feb. 28.—Two Peruvian physicians, Doctors Larrid and Rospigliosi, paid a professional visit to Rear Admiral Evans on board the flagship Connecticut, and after a consultation declared that Admiral Evans was suffering from rheumatism, but that his condition was not serious. A course of treatment was begun.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The street pageants of Mardi Gras carnival have begun in New Orleans.

The National league season will open April 14 and will close on Oct. 7. Each club will play 154 games. The Kentucky house has passed, by a vote of 75 to 14 and without debate, a prohibition bill with the county as the unit. Paul E. Fossbaken, one of the Bonanza farmers of Northern Minnesota, was burned to death in his large barn near Fosston.

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MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, Feb. 27.—Wheat—May, \$1.07½; July, \$1.06¾.

On track—No. 1 hard, \$1.12½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.09½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.07½; No. 3 Northern, \$1.03½.

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On the river Plate the society had three stations ready for Admiral Evans' men. Here everything was thrown open to the visiting sailors and their kept as straight as possible. The bloody violence of the cramps of Rosario and this entire region has fallen on many a defenseless seaman in the past, and after seven years of hard effort the workers of these branches have only just succeeded in becoming a buffer between them and the visiting sailors. That the American Jackies left Buenos Aires in good order is recognized as a welcome result of the long campaign. To the friendly offices of this as well as the other branches of the American Seamen's Friend society the navy tars had been commanded long before they sailed by old friends in the active branches of the organization at the Brooklyn navy yard and New York.

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Open Air Checker Contest.

In Colorado Springs, Colo., there is a little group of men who like outdoor exercise—a very light nature. So they take a checker or domino board to one of the many little parks there and play, no matter what the state of the weather, just so long as it is not snowing or raining. Almost any day will find the little group of men with benches drawn close together and all intent upon the game, not seeing the many strangers who regard them curiously as they sit there playing their daily game.

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A gigantic tray of solid silver has

recently been made by a firm in London for an oriental potentate.

The tray is seven feet in diameter and is

said to be the largest ever executed.

It was in the hands of the workmen

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